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Instructions for initial registration as a Dialysis Technician:

1. Complete a SD BON approved Dialysis Technician Training Program (DTTP)
2. Consistent with Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) requirements, must pass a Dialysis Technician certification exam, within 18 months of date of hire, from one of the following organizations and maintain certification:
 - a. Certified Clinical Hemodialysis Technician (CCHT) offered through Nephrology Nursing Certification Commission (NNCC)
 - b. Board of Nephrology Examiners for Nursing and Technology (BONENT)
 - c. National Nephrology Certification Organization (NNCO) exam
3. Submit completed SD Board of Nursing application for Initial Registration as a Dialysis Technician

Registration as a dialysis technician permits the registrant to accept delegated nursing tasks to perform basic clinical and technical tasks in the care of clients with end stage renal disease. These tasks may *ONLY* be delegated by a licensed nurse *that is physically present in the dialysis unit* and according to ASRSD 20:48:04.05.

(Exception: an unregistered/uncertified dialysis technician employed for less than 18 months may accept delegated tasks).